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Docket No.: 4040/1K200

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Mark I. GREENE, Ramachandran MURALI, Kazuhiro AOKI,
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Serial No.: 09/627,775

Art Unit: 1655

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For: METHODS OF INHIBITING OSTEOCLASTOGENESIS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing a response to the Office

Action dated January 15, 2002 in the above-identified patent application.

Applicants respectfully request that the time period for responding to the Office

Action be extended for a period of two (2) months, from APRIL 15, 2002 up to and

including JUNE 15, 2002.

The extensions of time indicated below are required and have not yet been granted:

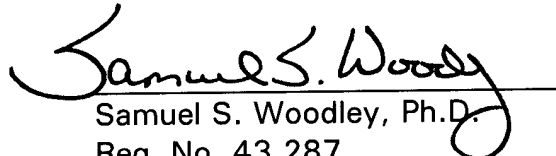
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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 14, 2002


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